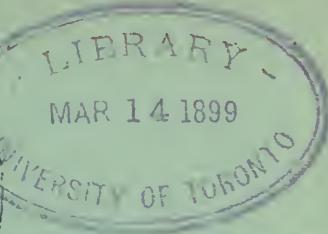


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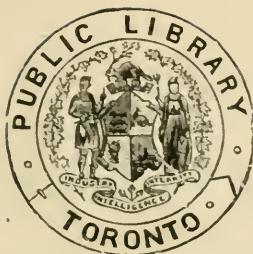
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Board of Management, 1898.

HIS HONOUR JUDGE McDougall, CHAIRMAN.

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JAMES BAIN, JR.

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN AND SECRETARY :

C. EGERTON RYERSON.

Annual Report, 1898.



The termination of the fifteenth year of the Toronto Public Library lays on me the duty of reporting its progress during 1898.

As has been the case with my predecessors in this chair I have much pleasure in calling the attention of the Board to the continued steady increase which has taken place, both in the number of books issued and of readers, an increase the more remarkable as in each successive year we seemed to have reached high-water mark. By referring to the tabulated statement, which is appended, you will see that the number of readers in the Central Circulating Library and its branches have increased from 25,304 to 29,054 and the circulation of books from 557,984 to 608,424, an increase of 50,440. While no information can be furnished as to their profession or occupation, it is satisfactory to know that all classes avail themselves fully of the advantages of the Library, from the Judge upon the bench to the humblest individual who can get a neighbor to vouch for him. When we remember that in the fifteen years in which this Library has been in existence no less than 900,000 books in Science, Fine and Mechanical Art, History and Biography have been taken out for home reading, and judging from the appearance of the volumes carefully read, we can hardly estimate the value of their educative influence.

The Reference Library also, which has grown up to be the most important part of the institution committed to your charge, has become so necessary a resort for consultation that it has almost reached the limits of its space for both books and readers.

Its reading desks are, during a portion of the day, overcrowded, and accommodation is only provided with difficulty. Readers are now continually attracted from distant points in the country and the United States to consult its rare books.

It is in the light of these facts that I regret to call your attention to the action of the City Council in reducing our estimates by the sum of \$5,000. These estimates were based on the most economical running expenses, including a judicious expenditure for books, and were prepared with the utmost care. The reduction made left us without sufficient funds to properly maintain the Library and its Branches throughout the year, and in November a Committee of your Board waited upon the Board of Control to inform them that unless a grant of at least \$2,500 was made, that they would be compelled at once to close two of the Branch Libraries. It was also pointed out that as the Board's estimates amounted to a less sum than the limit permitted by statute, the Council was exceeding its powers in reducing it. The Board of Control acceded to the request of your Committee, and in December placed the amount at their disposal, but so late in the season that the Chief Librarian reported, that the considerable additions to the Library contemplated when the estimates were struck early in 1898, could not be made before the 31st December, and the sum of \$1,800 has accordingly been carried to a special account, to cover purchases compelled to be made in 1899, which should be practically charged to the expenditure of 1898. I must add that the acquisition of books for the Central Library and Branches, but more particularly for the Central Library, is in my opinion quite as important a part of your Board functions as the payment of salaries and the maintenance of the Branches, and the annual estimates, therefore, must always contain a proper item for this purpose. Any curtailment of the appropriation means a reduction of the allowance for books, because all

other items of expense in the Board's estimate are practically fixed charges.

It is with deep regret that I recall the death of our late esteemed Secretary-Treasurer, Mr. John Davy. A severe illness, which seized him almost immediately after our last annual meeting, carried him off in August last. The devoted attention which he displayed in performing his duties in connection with the former Mechanics' Institute, marked him out as one whose services would be essential to the Public Library, when the properties of the Mechanics' Institute were transferred to it in 1882. During all the years of his service he never ceased to advance the interests of the Library.

In previous years the members of the Board found much inconvenience in attending meetings in the afternoon, and formally resolved to alter the hour for the Board and Committee Meeting from 4.15 to 8.00 p.m., and the increased attendance, together with the greater opportunities of becoming cognizant of the affairs of the Board, have shown the wisdom of the change.

In October last, the Senate of Knox College showed their good-will to the Library by donating a copy of the first Volume of the Banner, published in 1843-4, by the late Honorable George Brown, as the predecessor of the "Globe." It thus serves to carry our file back another year and to make that of the "Globe" nearly complete.

The Board has been fortunate in securing the services of Mr. C. Egerton Ryerson as Secretary-Treasurer, in succession to the late Mr. Davy. It seems appropriate that the son of the founder of Public Libraries in Upper Canada should bear an important part in carrying on the work of the largest in the Province.

The accounts of the Library have been audited by the proper

Officers, and Statements of the Receipts and Expenditure, and of the Assets and Liabilities are appended.

I have pleasure in reporting that the Chief Librarian, the Secretary, the Assistants and Employees in the Library have performed their duties in every way satisfactory to the Board.

(Signed) JOSEPH E. McDougall,
Chairman.

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE CENTRAL LIBRARY.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	395	447	529	416	375	287	208	261	254	472	368	281	4,293	1.
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	586	528	639	546	450	408	384	364	395	698	511	486	5,995	1.4
Theology	493	492	510	423	330	334	298	300	322	499	344	359	4,524	1.
Arts, &c.	1,048	1,049	1,079	853	765	683	623	707	812	1,389	924	870	10,802	2.5
General Literature and Collected Works	1,072	1,053	1,127	969	795	669	668	671	695	1,025	906	767	10,417	2.4
Geography and Travel	806	755	792	597	539	519	514	481	506	660	639	618	7,420	1.7
History	787	758	805	741	609	485	528	483	514	771	589	596	7,756	1.8
Biography	624	630	653	571	521	464	433	459	465	606	479	493	6,398	1.4
Poetry and the Drama	250	324	333	244	196	159	159	188	268	334	264	261	2,990	.7
Periodicals	786	1,052	1,112	965	852	895	684	757	770	1,019	826	768	10,396	2.4
Fiction	17,171	17,240	19,685	16,534	16,928	16,433	16,147	15,349	15,374	20,568	17,326	17,620	205,511	46.8
Juvenile	3,858	4,131	4,959	3,967	3,447	3,411	3,713	3,942	3,480	4,509	3,767	3,877	47,061	10.7
German Literature	1,23	105	118	120	115	80	68	65	73	86	54	69	1,976	.2
French Literature	1,17	152	142	138	101	79	80	107	94	133	122	80	1,345	.3
Italian and Spanish Literature	43	13	7	3	4	...	...	3	...	5	8	56	...	
Magazines Issued	982	1,022	1,371	1,184	1,125	1,188	1,038	1,158	1,074	1,379	1,232	1,174	13,927	3.2
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	29,021	29,747	33,951	28,271	25,282	26,074	25,545	25,282	25,039	34,058	28,353	28,327	339,973	77.5
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	6,441	6,094	6,458	5,481	5,375	5,576	4,464	5,075	5,702	6,191	7,132	7,770	16,3	
Reference Books	2,773	2,647	2,959	2,191	1,907	1,716	1,713	1,812	1,865	2,770	2,596	2,253	27,202	6.2
Total	38,235	38,498	43,368	35,943	33,564	33,366	31,722	32,179	32,606	44,609	37,143	37,712	438,945	100.

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE NORTHERN BRANCH.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	21	11	8	11	3	8	10	7	6	8	15	12	120	.3
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	7	10	14	13	8	2	4	8	5	5	3	15	94	.2
Theology	7	6	10	10	4	8	7	4	7	12	10	4	89	.2
Arts	19	19	15	18	13	12	9	14	17	11	13	18	178	.4
General Literature and Collected Works	25	29	24	28	25	22	10	17	23	27	17	14	261	.7
Geography and Travel	25	42	33	33	17	24	17	15	12	29	27	13	287	.7
History	48	48	70	56	36	23	24	21	43	48	42	35	477	1.2
Biography	29	48	30	19	23	18	13	22	13	26	17	26	286	.7
Poetry and the Drama	17	34	35	16	10	7	9	6	17	14	16	12	193	.5
Periodicals	343	361	430	397	300	249	227	276	277	342	419	368	3,989	10.2
Fiction	2,267	2,329	2,381	2,976	1,868	1,795	1,688	1,727	1,793	1,938	1,838	1,812	23,452	60.
Juvenile	692	664	749	622	439	367	441	476	442	499	550	628	6,509	16.8
German Literature	2	....	....	1	3	2	1	....	....	....	....	....	7	....
French Literature	....	....	....	1	1	....	2	....	....	....	....	....	3	....
Italian and Spanish Literature	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	9	....
Magazines Issued	3	5	3	7	3	....	1	....	....	4	5	1	32	.1
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	3,428	3,606	3,802	3,308	2,753	2,537	2,463	2,593	2,655	2,965	2,981	2,952	36,043	9.2
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	150	205	229	176	162	152	123	152	139	153	224	80	2,120	5.5
Reference Books	90	108	163	93	96	88	12	22	53	97	80	51	953	2.5
Total..	3,668	3,919	4,194	3,577	3,011	2,777	2,598	2,767	2,847	3,215	3,285	3,258	39,116	100.

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE WESTERN BRANCH.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	24	38	37	28	26	10	13	14	11	12	18	16	247	.4
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	8	17	20	22	17	15	5	6	5	14	17	18	164	.3
Theology	20	25	14	17	17	9	8	9	7	13	16	14	169	.3
Arts	53	80	69	57	63	36	36	25	42	59	36	53	609	1.1
General Literature and Collected Works	75	89	113	76	61	35	46	38	32	64	64	80	773	1.4
Geography and Travel	84	75	116	67	69	43	48	39	33	37	45	58	705	1.3
History	168	72	106	76	48	50	33	32	39	52	70	65	751	1.3
Biology	83	58	57	27	27	29	24	30	46	51	45	53	531	.9
Poetry and the Drama	31	34	44	35	21	17	16	13	20	34	42	29	336	.6
Periodicals	449	485	486	478	406	358	372	295	351	418	488	509	5,095	9.
Fiction	2,794	2,867	2,950	2,858	2,389	2,352	2,166	2,241	2,271	2,638	2,560	2,620	30,625	54.2
Juvenile	1,077	1,937	1,258	1,117	962	918	933	929	863	1,000	1,069	1,144	12,397	21.8
German Literature	4	3	3	3	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	12	...
French Literature	12	8	7	11	8	6	5	7	4	4	7	6	85	.2
Italian and Spanish Literature	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Magazines Issued	12	6	15	20	30	12	19	16	10	28	8	11	187	.3
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	4,715	4,939	5,293	4,922	4,144	3,888	3,529	3,681	3,718	4,419	4,747	52,586	93.1	
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	359	383	382	324	231	252	222	217	298	331	295	335	3,629	6.4
Reference Books	1,3	31	18	17	24	20	9	13	14	40	26	31	256	.5
Total	5,087	5,353	5,693	5,263	4,399	4,160	3,960	3,911	4,030	4,790	4,812	5,013	56,471	1

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE EASTERN BRANCH.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	4	8	6	4	7	8	3	6	6	7	7	6	72	.2
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	5	3	6	1	6	6	5	4	3	3	6	1	45	.1
Theology	5	13	6	6	10	7	2	12	10	12	12	5	67	.2
Arts	21	29	40	26	10	15	8	20	14	18	25	29	255	.7
General Literature and Collected Works	16	28	19	14	7	3	11	20	12	13	20	180	.5	
Geography and Travel	20	23	34	44	20	29	15	15	14	19	11	18	242	.7
History	35	31	45	18	24	28	15	10	9	19	15	22	271	.8
Biography	35	24	23	21	17	15	6	8	4	7	6	10	176	.5
Poetry and the Drama	8	9	13	10	8	4	3	5	6	2	9	12	89	.3
Periodicals	232	245	239	248	172	156	173	204	187	210	230	224	2,520	.73
Fiction	1,367	1,403	1,624	1,394	1,154	1,202	1,050	1,101	1,079	1,306	1,280	1,328	15,348	.446
Juvenile	1,095	1,291	1,369	1,224	947	875	844	931	890	912	1,045	1,114	12,537	36.5
German Literature . . . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	1	....
French Literature . . . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	2	....
Italian and Spanish Literature . . . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Magazines Issued . . . . .	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	131	144	144	275	.8
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	2,844	3,095	3,428	3,014	2,381	2,333	2,128	2,387	2,235	2,655	2,790	2,794	32,082	93.2
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	280	354	320	181	104	87	121	152	143	151	84	309	2,186	6.4
Reference Books	10	9	11	7	13	.....	1	.....	.....	10	19	49	1,29	.4
Total	3,134	3,458	3,759	3,202	2,496	2,420	2,250	2,539	2,378	2,716	2,893	3,152	34,397	100.

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE DUNDAS STREET BRANCH.
FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	23	22	28	35	25	24	17	16	17	22	20	19	268	.7
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	24	32	32	35	24	24	22	26	24	28	24	31	326	.8
Theology	23	24	29	26	18	17	17	21	16	32	21	14	258	.7
Arts	105	124	141	111	94	77	79	71	90	126	106	110	1,234	3.1
General Literature and Collected Works	49	62	53	70	49	29	35	26	21	43	45	55	537	1.3
Geography and Travel	83	74	68	53	53	57	38	36	24	37	64	70	657	1.7
History	58	65	57	70	75	62	41	50	32	54	66	62	692	1.7
Biography	42	41	37	32	22	30	20	31	28	29	27	41	380	1.
Poetry and the Drama	16	14	20	17	14	8	7	8	7	6	11	12	140	.4
Periodicals	340	312	324	218	187	200	185	199	193	251	310	313	3,662	7.7
Fiction	1,474	1,570	1,738	1,430	1,319	1,331	1,225	1,302	1,153	1,377	1,382	1,244	16,545	41.9
Juvenile	1,021	1,019	1,202	1,008	801	843	828	865	810	1,064	1,059	1,180	11,670	29.5
German Literature .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
French Literature	18	13	10	9	6	5	6	9	8	6	8	5	103	.3
Italian and Spanish Literature .....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....	....
Magazines Issued	2	11	11	4	16	15	1	3	1	9	6	5	84	.2
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	3,278	3,383	3,750	3,118	2,792	2,692	2,521	2,663	2,324	3,084	3,149	3,191	35,956	91.
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	33	314	353	269	194	200	198	182	268	353	370	348	3,380	8.6
Reference Books	13	28	8	24	7	25	6	1	6	8	21	12	159	.4
Total.....	3,622	3,725	4,111	3,411	2,904	2,917	2,725	2,846	2,698	3,445	3,540	3,551	39,495	100.

TOTAL CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE CENTRAL AND BRANCH LIBRARIES.
From JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	467	526	608	494	436	337	251	304	294	521	428	334	5,000	.8
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	630	590	706	616	505	454	421	408	432	751	556	555	6,624	1.1
Theology	458	560	569	482	369	375	332	346	355	472	393	396	5,107	.8
Arts	1,246	1,301	1,344	1,065	945	823	755	837	975	1,603	1,104	1,080	13,078	2.2
General Literature and Collected Works	1,238	1,249	1,345	1,162	944	762	762	763	791	1,171	1,045	936	12,168	2.
Geography and Travels	1,018	969	943	794	648	652	632	577	589	782	786	777	9,217	1.5
History	1,019	974	1,173	961	792	648	641	606	637	944	782	780	9,945	1.6
Biography	826	801	700	610	554	501	544	549	716	589	606	771	7,771	1.3
Poetry and the Drama	322	415	445	322	249	265	194	220	258	340	342	326	3,748	.6
Periodicals	2,150	2,455	2,591	2,306	1,917	1,708	1,641	1,731	1,778	2,240	2,273	2,212	25,662	4.1
Fiction	24,923	25,115	28,378	24,292	22,788	23,113	22,276	21,780	21,670	27,827	24,386	24,633	291,481	47.9
Juvenile	7,743	8,162	9,537	7,938	6,596	6,384	6,759	7,143	6,485	7,984	7,490	7,913	90,134	14.8
German Literature	127	108	118	124	118	82	69	67	73	86	56	70	1,008	.2
French Literature	149	173	159	116	92	93	123	106	143	137	94	1,544	1.3	
Italian and Spanish Literature	13	13	7	3	4	...	...	...	...	5	8	5	...	...
Magazines Issued	999	1,044	1,400	1,215	1,174	1,215	1,059	1,167	1,085	1,551	1,395	1,191	14,495	2.4
Total number of Books Issued for Home Reading	43,286	44,780	50,124	42,633	38,261	37,524	36,016	36,071	47,181	41,767	41,911	496,540	81.6	
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	7,561	7,350	7,742	6,431	6,066	6,267	5,128	5,778	6,550	8,669	7,164	8,379	83,085	13.7
Reference Books	2,899	2,823	3,259	2,332	2,047	1,849	1,741	1,848	1,938	2,925	2,742	2,396	28,799	4.7
Total	53,746	54,953	61,125	51,396	46,374	45,640	43,255	44,242	44,559	58,775	51,73	52,686	608,44	100.

ADDITIONS AND DEDUCTIONS IN THE REFERENCE AND
CIRCULATING LIBRARIES DURING 1898.

Number of Books and Pamphlets in the Libraries on the 31st	
December, 1897,	103,208
Deduct—Books lost and paid for.....	57
“ destroyed by H.D.	91
“ withdrawn	497
“ missing and lost	37
“ sold (duplicates).....	2
	684
	102,524
Added during the year :	
Purchased.....	3,509
Donated.....	369
Periodicals bound.....	484
English Patents.....	288
Pamphlets	1,200
Missing books found.....	2
	5,852
Total	<u>108,376</u>

TOTAL NUMBER OF VOLUMES IN REFERENCE AND CIRCULATING LIBRARIES, DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	Central.	Western.	Northern.	Eastern.	Dundas St.	Total.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	1,332	82	89	19	15	1,537
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	1,731	42	71	7	15	1,866
Theology	1,810	69	68	9	14	1,970
Arts	2,247	82	70	14	31	2,444
General Literature and Collected Works	3,727	340	262	24	22	4,375
Geography and Travel	2,804	218	211	30	40	3,303
History	2,825	295	383	49	34	3,586
Biography	3,385	333	368	54	39	4,179
Poetry and the Drama	1,116	93	110	10	7	1,336
Periodicals	2,532	833	788	187	143	4,483
Fiction	14,029	2,581	2,665	412	329	20,016
Juvenile	4,611	655	748	260	318	6,592
German Literature	682					682
French	"	706				706
Italian	"	99				99
Spanish	"	9				9
Books for the Blind		72				72
Total	43,717	5,623	5,833	1,075	1,007	57,255
Circulating Libraries as above						57,255
Reference Library—Central					32,790	
" " Western Branch					48	
" " Northern Branch					72	
" " Eastern Branch					19	
" " Dundas Street Branch					58	
Hallam Collection						32,987
Pamphlets						2,034
Manuscripts						10,859
Patents						70
Total						5,171
						108,376

VALUATION OF THE LIBRARY, DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

Valuation of the Library, December 31st, 1897.....	\$132,604 08
Books purchased during 1898.....	\$5,762 61
Binding.....	1,634 16
Periodicals bound.....	726 00
Donations.....	215 25
Unbound Magazines.....	37 50
Missing Books found.....	2 00
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	\$8,377 52
Deduct—Books lost and paid for.....	\$30 60
" destroyed by H.D.....	37 60
" withdrawn.....	216 60
" missing.....	22 10
" sold.....	1 40
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	\$308 30
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	\$140,673 30

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Central Libraries,	\$131,852 27
Western Branch.....	3,382 34
Northern Branch.....	3,543 53
Eastern Branch.....	901 29
Dundas Street Branch.....	993 87
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	\$140,673 30

BORROWERS' REGISTER, DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

CENTRAL.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1897.....	14,440
Tickets issued in 1898.....	3,186
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	17,626
Deduct—Transferred to Western Branch.....	56
" " Northern Branch.....	36
" " Eastern Branch.....	2
" " Dundas Street Branch.....	28
" Lost and cancelled.....	548
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	670
Total.....	<hr/>
	16,956

WESTERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1897.....	1,692
Tickets issued in 1898	581
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	2,273
Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	14
" " Northern Branch.....	1
" " Dundas Street Branch.....	3
" Lost and cancelled.....	52
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	70
Total.....	<hr/>
	2,203

NORTHERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1897.....	4,360
Tickets issued in 1898	355
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Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	36
" " Western Branch.....	4
" " Eastern Branch.....	1
" " Dundas Street Branch.....	1
Lost and cancelled.....	13
	—
Total.....	55
	—
	4,660
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EASTERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1897.....	1,764
Tickets issued during 1898.....	206
	—
Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	23
" " Northern Branch.....	1
" " Dundas Street Branch.....	1
Lost and cancelled.....	32
	—
Total.....	56
	—
	1,914

DUNDAS STREET BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1897.....	3,048
Tickets issued during 1898.....	364
	—
Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	28
" " Western Branch.....	8
" " Eastern Branch.....	1
Lost and cancelled ..	54
	—
Total.....	91
	—
	3,321

TOTAL NUMBER OF TICKETS.

Central.....	16,956
Western Branch.....	2,203
Northern Branch.....	4,560
Eastern Branch	1,914
Dundas Street Branch.....	3,321
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	29,054

NUMBER OF POST CARDS SENT FOR OVERDUE BOOKS.

Central.....	5,795
Western Branch	762
Northern Branch.....	502
Eastern Branch...	330
Dundas Street Branch.....	421
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	7,720

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STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

RECEIPTS.

To Cash in Bank December 31st, 1897	\$1,940 62
“ Legislative Grant	212 50
“ Library Rate	29,170 00
“ Rent	116 00
“ Borrowers’ Tickets	199 50
“ Catalogues	144 73
“ Fines	960 25
“ Damage to Books	13 90
“ Books lost and paid for	58 17
“ Books sold	42 75
“ Newspapers and Magazines sold	61 13
“ Wastepaper, etc.	12 88
“ Advertisements in Western Branch Catalogue	315 50
“ Bank Interest and Rebate	35 97

\$33,283 90

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

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EXPENDITURE.

By Interest on Debentures	\$2,368 00
" Sinking Fund.	500 00
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" Books purchased.....	5,657 10
" Duty on Books.....	57
" Freight on Books.....	104 94
" English Patents.	289 50
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" Newspapers and Magazines.....	2,299 23
" Binding.....	1,634 16
" Printing Annual Report.....	40 20
" Stationery.....	320 93
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" Postage.....	\$361 13
" Electric Lighting.....	197 16
" Gas.....	751 74
" Fuel	323 01
" Water.....	615 05
" Rent of Branches	72 09
" Delivery of Books to Branches	1,771 11
" Rent of Telephone.....	336 00
" Repairs.	45 00
" Salaries.....	211 25
" Insurance.....	13,190 88
" Law Charges.....	276 51
" Petty Expenses, etc.....	6 00
" Furniture and Fittings	293 09
" Special Deposit for Books.	61 45
" Balance in Bank	118 93
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	1,918 93
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	\$33,283 90

Audited and approved,

(Signed), WM. ANDERSON, }
W. W. JONES, } City Auditors.

TORONTO, January 30, 1899.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

ASSETS.

The site at the corner of Church and
Adelaide Streets, with the Library
Buildings thereon \$76,400 00
The Lot on Lombard Street, 52 x 90... 5,200 00
" " 16 x 90... 1,600 00
The Fencing to the Lots. 98 78

Furniture and Fittings :

Central Library \$7,395 07
Western Branch 395 62
Northern Branch 387 29
Eastern Branch 480 02
Dundas Street Branch 1,068 06

Books, Pamphlets, etc.:

Central Library \$131,852 27
Western Branch. 3,382 34
Northern Branch 3,543 53
Eastern Branch 901 29
Dundas Street Branch 993 87

Catalogues on hand

Portraits, Engravings, Medals, etc 1,159 77
English Patients Account 553 00
Special Deposit for Books 3,022 65
Balance in Bank 1,800 00
" " 118 93

\$6,654 35

\$240,262 49

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding Debentures \$60,496 80
Less Sinking Fund 5,570 84

Balance 54,925 96

..... 185,336 53

List of Newspapers, Periodicals and Transactions.

*Those marked thus * are presented.*

CENTRAL READING ROOM.

Academy.		*Banner of Light.
*Alberta Tribune.	Weekly.	*Barrie Examiner,
Alt-Celtischer Sprachschatz.		Barrie Gazette,
*All the World.		Belgravia.
*Alvinston Free Press.		*Belleville Intelligencer.
American Anthropologist.	Boston.	Daily.
American Architect.		Biblical Archæology, Society of, Transactions
American Bookmaker.		and Proceedings.
American Bookseller.		Bibliothèque Canadienne.
American Catholic Quarterly.		Bicycling News.
American Dialect Society Notes.		London.
American Folk Lore.	Quarterly.	Bird Lore.
American Gardening.		Black and White.
*American Grocer.		Blackwood's Magazine.
American Hatter.	New York.	*Bobcaygeon Independent.
American Historical Association Transactions.		Bookman.
American Historical Review.	Quarterly.	London—Monthly.
American History Leaflets.		Bookman.
*American Naturalist.	Monthly.	New York.
*Ancient Forester.		Book Reviews.
*Animals' Guardian.		London—Monthly.
Animal World.		Bookseller.
Annals of the American Academy.		Boston Herald.
Annals of Botany.	Quarterly.	Daily.
Antiquary.		Botanical Magazine.
Archæological Journal.		London.
Archæologia Oxonensis.		Boy's Own Paper.
Architect.	London.	Monthly.
Army and Navy Gazette.		*Brampton Banner.
Art Amateur.	New York.	*Brampton Conservator.
Art Decorator.	London.	Brandon Sun.
Art Interchange.	New York.	*Brantford Courier.
Art Journal.		B.C. Mining Record.
Astronomical and Physical Society, Transactions		B.C. Natural History Society.
Astrophysical Journal.		B.C. Mining Record.
Athenæum.		*Brockville Times.
Atlantic Monthly.		Daily.
Auk.	Quarterly.	*Bruce Herald.
*Aurora Banner.	Weekly.	Buffalo Express.
Australasian.		Builder.
Badminton Magazine.		*Business.
Banner of Israel.		*Canada Gazette.
		Canada Lumberman.
		Canadian American.
		Canadian Antiquarian.
		Canadian Engineer.
		Canadian Entomologist.
		*Canadian Evangelist.
		*Canadian Institute, Proceedings of.
		Canadian Military Gazette.
		*Canadian Military Institute, Proceedings.

Canadian Mining Institute.		Electrical World.	New York.
Canadian Mining Review.	Ottawa.	Electrican.	London.
*Carleton Place Herald.		Engineer.	London.
Carpenter and Builder.	London.	Engineering.	London.
Cassell's Magazine.		Engineering Magazine.	Monthly.
Century.		Engineering and Mining Journal.	New York.
Chamber's Journal.		Engineering Record.	
*Charities Review.		*Engineering Society of the School of Practical	
*Chicago Inter-Ocean.		Science.	
Crampton's Magazine.		English Dialect Society.	
*Charlottetown, P. E. I., Examiner.		English Historical Review.	Quarterly
*Charlottetown, P. E. I., Herald.		English Illustrated Magazine.	
*Chatsworth Banner.	Weekly.	English Mechanic.	
Chemical News.	Weekly.	*Englishwoman's Review.	
Chicago Grocer.	Weekly.	Entomological Society of Ontario.	
Chicago Tribune.	Daily.	*Essex Free Press.	
*Christian Register.		Ex Libris Society's Journal.	
Church Guardian.	Weekly.	Family Herald.	
Church Quarterly Review.	London.	Fanciers' Gazette.	
*Cincinnati Society of Natural History.		Field.	London.
Civil Engineers, Proceedings of the Institute of.		Forest and Stream.	
*Clarksburg Reflector.		Fortnightly Review.	
Conference of Charities and Correction.		*Fort William Journal	Bi-weekly.
Contemporary Review.		Forum.	Monthly.
*Cook's Excursionist.		*Fredericton, N. B., Herald.	Weekly.
Cornhill.		Fred. Burr's Journal.	Monthly.
Cosmopolitan.		Fun.	Weekly.
Courier du Livre.		Furniture Gazette.	London.
*Criterion.	Weekly.	Garden.	London.
Critic.	New York.	Gartenlaube.	
Decorative Art.	London.	Gas Lighting, Journal of.	London.
Decorator and Furnisher.	New York.	Genealogical Magazine.	Monthly.
*Decorators' Gazette.	Monthly.	Gentleman's Magazine.	
*Delhi Reporter.		Gentlewoman.	
*Deliverer.	London.	Genealogical and Biographical Record.	
Detroit Free Press.	Daily.	New York.	
Dial.	Weekly.	*Geological Society's Journal.	
Dictionary of Political Economy.	London.	Glasgow Herald.	Weekly.
Dominion Review.		*Glencoe Transcript.	Weekly.
*Draper's Record.		*Goderich Huron Signal.	
Dublin Freeman.	Weekly.	Good Words.	
Dublin Review.	Quarterly.	Graphic.	Weekly.
Dublin Warder.	Weekly.	Green Bag.	Monthly.
*Dundas News.		Hakluyt Society, Publications.	
*Dundas Star.		Halifax Chronicle.	Daily.
*Dundas True Banner.		*Halifax Nova Scotian.	Weekly.
*Durham Chronicle.		*Hamilton Association.	
Early English Text Society.		*Hamilton Herald.	Daily.
Early English Text Society, Extra Series.		Hamilton Spectator.	Daily.
Economic Review.	London.	*Hamilton Templar.	
Economist.	London.	Harleian Society, Visitations and Register.	
Edinburgh Review.		Harper's Bazar.	
Edinburgh Scotsman.	Daily.	Harper's Monthly.	
*Educational Record.		Harper's Round Table.	
Electrical Review.	London.	Harper's Weekly.	

*Harriston Review.		*Manitoulin Expositor.
Hatters' Gazette.	Monthly.	Manufacturer.
*Herald of Life.	Springfield.	*Markdale Standard.
*Hillsburgh Beaver.		*Markham Economist.
*Home Circle Leader.	Monthly.	*Markham Sun.
Household Words.		Melbourne (Austr.) Illustrated News. Weekly
Ibis.		Meehan's Monthly.
Illustrated London News.		*Mercantile Guardian. London.
Illustriete Zeitung.		*Minden Echo.
Imperial Institute. Journal of.		Mining World. London.
*Independent Forester.		*Minnesota Historical Society Collections.
*India Rubber, Gutta Percha.	Weekly.	Moderne Kunst.
Industrial Record.		*Moncton Times.
*Ingersoll Sun.		Monist.
Inland Architect, Photo Edition.	Chicago.	Montreal Gazette. Daily.
Insurance and Finance Chronicle.	Montreal.	Montreal Herald. Daily.
Iowa State University Publications.		*Montreal Le Cultivateur. Weekly.
Iron Trade Review.	Cleveland.	Montreal Philatelist.
*Ironmonger.	London.	Montreal Star. Daily.
Johns Hopkins University Historical Studies.		Municipal Affairs. Quarterly.
Journal of Chemical Industries.		Musical Age. Weekly.
Journal of Gas Lighting.		Musical Courier. New York.
Journal of the Society of Arts.		*Musical Herald. London.
*Kamloops Sentinel.		Nation. New York.
Kennel Gazette.		National Review. Monthly.
*Kincardine Review.		*Natural Food. London.
Knowledge.		Natural Science. London.
*Labor co-Partnership.		Nature.
Labor Gazette.	Monthly.	Navy List. Quarterly.
Ladies' Home Journal.	Philadelphia.	*Nelson, (B. C.), Miner. Weekly.
Lady's Pictorial.	London.	New Brunswick Historical Society, Transactions
Lancet.		New Brunswick Natural History Society. Publications,
*Land of Sunshine.	Monthly.	New Brunswick Review.
Leisure Hour.		New Century. New York, Weekly.
Le Monde Illustré.	Paris.	New York Herald. Daily.
*Le Soleil.	Daily.	New York Independent. Weekly.
Leslie's Illustrated.		New York Evening Post.
Library Association Record.		New York Journal of Commerce.
Library Journal.		New York Tribune.
*Light.	Weekly.	*New Zealand Gazette.
Lippincott's Magazine.		Newcastle Times. Weekly.
Literary News.	Weekly, New York.	*Niagara Historical Societies Transactions.
Literary World.	Weekly, Boston.	Nineteenth Century.
Literary World.	Weekly, London.	North American Review.
Literature.		*North Ontario Times.
Littell's Living Age.		Notes and Queries.
Liverpool Post.	Weekly.	Nova Scotian Historical Society. Collections,
Live Stock Journal.	London.	Nova Scotian Institute of Natural Science.
Lloyd's Weekly News.	London.	Proceedings.
London, (Ont.), Free Press.	Daily.	*Oil and Colourman's Journal. Monthly.
Longman's Magazine.		*Ontario California Record. Weekly.
*L'Original Advertiser.		Ontario Genealogist and Family Historian. Quarterly.
Macmillan's Magazine.		*Ontario Historical Society.
Magazine of Art.	London.	
*Manitoba Gazette.	Weekly.	

Surveyors, Proceedings.		
*Orangeville Banner.	Weekly.	
*Ontario Rifle Association.		
*Orilla Packet.		
*Oshawa Vindicator.		
*Ottawa Citizen.	Daily.	
*Ottawa Literary and Historical Society.		
Our Academy, Political and Social.		
Our Home.	London.	
Outing.	New York.	
*Owen Sound Times.		
*Painters' Journal.	Baltimore.	
Pall Mall Magazine.		
*Parliamentary—		
Debates of the House of Commons, Dominion of Canada.		
Sessional Papers, Dominion of Canada.		
Sessional Papers, Ontario.		
Sessional Papers, Quebec.		
Statutes of New Zealand.		
Votes and Proceedings, House of Commons, Dominion of Canada.		
Votes and Proceedings of the Legislative Assembly, Northwest Territories.		
Votes and Proceedings, Senate, Dominion of Canada.		
*Parry Sound Canadian.	Weekly.	
*Parry Sound North Star.	Weekly.	
Patent Gazette, Official.	United States.	
*Patent Journal, Official.	British.	
*Patent Record, Official.	Canadian.	
*Peel Brampton Banner, Perforator.		
*Petrolea Advertiser.	Weekly.	
*Philadelphia Carpenter.		
Philadelphia Record.	Daily.	
Philis		
*Philatelic Advocate and Bulletin.		
Philological Society, Journal.		
Photography, Journal of.	London.	
Pigeons Fancy.	Fortnightly.	
Plumber and Decorator.	Londo	
Political Science Quarterly.		
Popular Astronomy.		
Popular Science Monthly.		
Poet Lore.		
*Port Arthur Herald.	Weekly.	
Portfolio.	London.	
Positivist Review.	London.	
*Pottery Gazette.	Monthly.	
Practitioner.	London.	
*Prince Albert Advocate.	Weekly.	
Printer's Bookmaker.		
Process Photogram.	London.	
Province.	Vancouver, B.C.	
Public Libraries.		
Public Opinion.		
Publishers' Circular.		London
Publishers' Weekly.		
Punch.		
Quarterly Book Review.		
Quarterly Review.		
Quebec Chronicle.		Daily.
*Quebec Literary and Historical Society, Transactions.		
Quebec Société de Géographie.		
Queen.		London.
Queen's Quarterly.		Kingston.
Quiver.		
Railway News.		
Railway and Steamship Guide.		
Recherches Historiques.		
Reliquary and Illustrated Archæologist.		
		London.
Review of Reviews.		London.
Revue des Deux Mondes.		Bi-Monthly.
*Richmond Hill Liberal.		
*Ridgeway Standard.		Weekly.
Rossland Miner.		
Rossland Times.		Weekly.
Royal Military College Club Papers.		
Royal Statistical Society, Journal.		
*Rural Canadian.		
Ste. Anne de Beaupré Annals.		
*St. Hyacinthe Courier.		
St. James's Budget.		
St. John's, (N. B.), Telegraph.		Daily.
St. Nicholas.		
*Sarnia Canadian.		
Saturday Review.		
*Sault Ste. Marie Courier.		
*Sault Ste. Marie Star.		Weekly.
Science.		
Scientific American.		
Scientific American Supplement.		
Scientific American, Architects' and Builders' Edition.		
Scottish Review.		
Scottish Text Society, Publications.		
Scribner's Magazine.		
*Seaboard.		New York.
*Shelburne Economist.		
*Sherbrooke Examiner.		
*Simeon Norfolk Examiner.		Monthly.
Single Taxer.		
*Smithsonian Contributions to Knowledge.		
*Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections.		
*Smithsonian Reports.		
*Society of Arts Journal.		London.
pectator.		London.
Sporting and Dramatic News.		London.

Sporting Life.	Daily, London.	Toronto *Evangelical Churchman.
Staats Zeitung.	Chicago.	Evening Star. Daily.
Statist.	London.	Globe. Daily.
*Stouffville Tribune.	Weekly.	*Hardware.
*Stouffville Free Press.	Weekly.	*Lumberman.
Strand.		*McMaster University Monthly.
*Strathroy Age.		Mail and Empire. Daily.
*Strathroy Dispatch.		Manufacturer. Fortnightly.
Street Railway Review.		*Merchant.
Studio.		Monetary Times. Weekly.
*Summerside, (P.E.I.), Agriculturist.		*Ontario Gazette. Weekly.
*Summerside, (P.E.I.), Journal.		*Onward.
Surtees Society, Publications of		*Professional Photographer. Monthly.
Sunday at Home.		*Railway News. Weekly.
Tablet.		Scottish Canadian. Monthly.
Tailor and Cutter.		Sentinel. Weekly.
*Temperance Chronicle.	London.	*Shoe and Leather Journal.
Temple.	Monthly.	Stenographer.
Temple Bar.		*Trinity University Review.
*Texas State Historical Association.		Truth.
*Thessalon, (Algoma), Advocate.		*University of Toronto Quarterly.
Times.	Daily, London.	*University of Toronto Studies.
Toronto *All the World.		*War Cry.
*Ancient Forester.		*Weather Review. Monthly.
*Baker and Confectioner.		Westminster, The. Weekly.
Biological Review of Ontario.		World. Daily.
*Bookseller and Stationer.		Trade and Industry.
*Bulletin.		*Trenton Advocate.
Canada Educational.		Truth. London.
Canadian Architect.		*Two Worlds. Weekly.
Canadian Boards of Trade Journal.		*United Empire Loyalists Association of Ontario.
*Canadian Bookseller.		*Universal Brotherhood. Monthly.
*Canadian Churchman.		United States Department of Agriculture, Publications.
Canadian Engineer.		*Uxbridge Times.
*Canadian Grocer.		Vancouver News-Advertiser. Daily.
*Canadian Independent.		Vanity Fair. London.
Canadian Magazine.		Veterinary Journal. London.
Canadian Miner.		Viatorian.
*Canadian Philatelic.		Victoria, (B. C.), Colonist. Daily.
Canadian Manufacturer.		Virginia Magazine.
*Canadian Methodist Magazine.	Monthly.	*Walkerton Herald.
Catholic Register.		*War Cry. London.
*China's Millions.	Monthly.	Westminster Review.
*Christian Guardian.		*Wingham Times.
*Christian Scientist.		*Winnipeg Free Press. Daily.
*Church Evangelist.		*Winnipeg Tribune. Daily.
*Congregationalist.		Winnipeg Voice. Weekly.
*Cycling.	Bi-Monthly.	*Wisconsin State Historical Society.
*Deer Park Recorder.	Weekly.	*Wisconsin University.
*Dial.		Woman at Home.
*Dry Goods Review.		*Women's Canadian Historical Society.
Economist.	Monthly.	World. London.
Educational Monthly.	Monthly.	World's Progress.
Electrical News.		Zoologist.

NORTHERN BRANCH.

American Agriculturist.		McClure's Magazine,	New York.
Animal World.		*Manitoulin Expositor.	
Art Amateur.		Montreal Gazette.	Daily.
Athenæum.		Montreal Herald.	
*Barrie Gazette.		*Navy League Journal.	
Belfast Whig.		New York Times.	Daily
Belgravia.		*Ontario California Record.	
Blackwood's Magazine.		Our Home.	
Boy's Own Paper.		*Parry Sound Star.	
*Canadian Forester.		Public Opinion.	
Canadian Stenographer.		Punch.	
*Canadian Woodman.		Quarterly Review.	
Cassell's Magazine.		Quebec Chronicle.	
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		Queen.	London.
Catholic World.		Quiver.	
Century.		*Realm, The.	
Chamber's Journal.		Review of Review.	London.
Cornhill.		St. Nicholas.	
Daily News.	London.	Saturday Review.	
*Durham Chronicle.		Scientific American.	
Edinburgh Review.		Scientific American Supplement.	
Edinburgh Scotsman.	Weekly.	Scribner's Magazine.	
English Illustrated Magazine.		Spectator.	London.
Family Herald.		Standard.	Daily, London.
Good Words.		Strand.	London.
Graphic.		*Summerside Journal.	
Hamilton Spectator.	Daily.	Sunday at Home.	
Harper's Bazar.		Times.	Weekly, London.
Harper's Monthly.		Toronto *All the World.	
Harper's Round-Table.		*Ancient Forester.	
Harper's Weekly.		Canadian Magazine.	Monthly.
Household Words.		*China's Millions.	Monthly.
Illustrated London News.		Evening News.	Daily.
Judy.	Toronto Jct.	Evening Star.	Daily.
Ladies' Home Journal.		Evening Telegram.	Daily.
*Leader and Recorder.		Globe.	Daily
Leisure Hour.		Mail and Empire.	Daily.
Leslie's Illustrated.		*Trinity University Review.	
Lippincott's Magazine.		*War Cry.	
Literary World.	London.	World.	
Littell's Living Age.		*War Cry.	London.
Lloyd's Weekly News.		Westminster Review.	
*London Free Press.		Woman at Home.	
Longman's Magazine.		World, London.	London.

WESTERN BRANCH.

American Cabinet Maker.		Macmillan's Magazine.
American Machinist.		Metal Worker.
*Ancient Forester.	Brantford.	Montreal Herald.
Animal World.		Montreal Gazette.
Belfast News.		Moonshine.
Belgravia.		*National Single Taxer.
Blackwood's Magazine.		*Navy League Journal.
Boy's Own Paper.		New York Herald.
*Canadian Forester.		Nineteenth Century.
Carpenter and Builder.		Our Home.
Cassell's Magazine.		*Owen Sound Times.
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		Public Opinion.
Century.		Punch.
Chambers' Journal.		Quiver.
Cornhill.	London.	Review of Reviews.
Daily News.		St. James's Budget.
Deinorest's Monthly.		St. Nicholas.
*Dublin Freeman.		Saturday Review.
Edinburgh Scotsman.	Weekly.	Scientific American.
*Electrical World.		Scientific American Supplement.
Engineering.		Scottish American.
English Illustrated Magazine.		Scribner's Magazine.
English Mechanic.		Spectator.
Family Herald.		Stone Cutters' Journal.
Forest and Stream.		Strand.
Good Words.		Taylor.
Graphic.		Times.
Harper's Bazar.		Weekly, London.
Harper's Monthly.		Toronto *All the World.
Harper's Round Table.		Canadian Magazine.
Harper's Weekly.		*China's Millions.
Household Words.		*Commercial and Industrial Canada.
Illustrated London News.		(Board of Trade Journal).
Ladies' Home Journal.		Evening News.
Leisure Hour.		Evening Star.
Leslie's Illustrated.		Evening Telegram.
Lippincott's Magazine.	London.	Globe.
Literary World.		Mail and Empire.
Littell's Living Age.	London.	*Realm, The.
Lloyd's Weekly News.		*War Cry.
Locomotive Engineer.		World.
Locomotive Fireman.		*War Cry.
London Standard.	Daily.	*Winnipeg Tribune.
Longman's Magazine.		World.
McClure's Magazine.		Woman at Home.

EASTERN BRANCH.

Belfast Whig.		
Boy's Own Paper.		
*Canadian Forester.		Minn.
Canadian Grocer.		
*Canadian Philatelic.	Weekly.	London.
*Canadian Woodman.		Daily.
Carpenter and Builder.		
Cassell's Magazine.		
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		
Century.		London.
*Chicago Grocer.		
Demorest's Monthly.		
*Dundas True Banner.		
Engineer.		
English Illustrated Magazine.		
English Mechanic.		
Family Herald.		
Forest and Stream.		
Good Words.		
Graphic.		
Hamilton Spectator.		
Harper's Bazaar.		
Harper's Monthly.		
Harper's Round Table.		
Harper's Weekly.		
Household Words.		
Illustrated London News.		
Ladies' Home Journal.		
Leisure Hour.		
Leslie's Illustrated.		
Lippincott's Magazine.		
Literary World.		
Littell's Living Age.		
Lloyd's Weekly News.		
Longman's Magazine.		
Macmillan's Magazine.		
McClure's Magazine.		
*Markdale Standard.		
Metal Worker.	Daily.	
Montreal Star.		
Montreal Witness.		
Moonshine.		London.
*National Single Taxer.		
*Navy League Journal.		
New York Tribune		
Popular Science News.		
Public Opinion.		
Punch.		
Queen.		
Quiver.		
Review of Reviews		
St. James's Budget.		
St. Nicholas.		
Scientific American.		
Scientific American Supplement.		
Scientific American Architects' and Builders'		
Edition.		
Scottish American.		
Scribner's Magazine.		
Strand.		
Sunday at Home.		
Telegraph.		Daily, London.
Times.		Weekly, London.
Toronto *All the World.		
*Ancient Forester.		
Canadian Magazine.		
Catholic Register.		
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